"I-The second section of the amendment-the one declaring 'The Congress and the several States shall have concurrent power to enforce this article by appropriate legislation, CIVIC SPIRIT SHOWN. Does not enable Congress or the soveral States to defeat or thwart the Prohibition, but only to enforce it by supropriate means.

"S. The words 'concurrent power' in that section do not mean joint power, or require that legislation thereunder by Congress, to be effective, shall be approved or sanctioned by the several or any of them; nor do they mn that the power to enforce is divided between Congress and the saveral States along the lines which

"9. The power confided to Congress by that section, while not ex-citatve, in territorially co-extensive with the prohibition of the first secembraces manufacture and intrastate transactions as well importation, exportation, and interstate traffic, and is in nowise de-pended on or affected by action of naction on the part of several States

"10-That power may be asserted against the disposal for beverage purposes of liquor manufactured between the amendment became effective, yet as it may be against subsquent

are limits beyond which Congress as about as thick as an artichoke leaf, cannot go in treating beverages as sithin the power of enforcement, we think those limits are not transcended. Still suffering from shock, you made, but it was recalled that Senathy the provision of the Volstead act, stride bravely into the Pullman food wherein liquors containing as much as one-half of one per cent. of alco-ms by volume and at for use for bev-

main decision has not yet been an-neuroed, it is known that at least dustice McKenna dissented. Associate Justice McKeynolds, while not dissenting from the Court's opin-na, said he confined his "conclusions to the fact that it is impossible to say what construction should be given to the Eighteenth Amendment.

of the Eighteenth Amendment. A multitude of questions will arise and prefer to remain free when they

#### LASHER STORY FALSE lant to cash in on a Chicago break-DECLARES PALMER

Was Not Alien Custodian When beurre noir and took the rest of the United States Sold Textile Property.

WASSIINGTON, June 7 .- Attorney General Palmer has addressed the fol-lowing letter to The New York World, concerning the publication of the story ile, Incorporated. \*
WASHINGTON, D. C., June 5, 1916.

the World New York City.

The article appearing in the first column of The World to-day muliciously designed to give the impression that Walter B. Lashar of Bridgeport, Conn. is connected with my campaign, by con-tribution or otherwise, is a deliberate falsehood. Mr. Lashar has , not contributed a single cent, either directly of

Mr. Palmer was in Maryland to-day, but it was stated at the Depart-ment of Jastice that he was in com-manication with the department con-cerning the letter before it was given. The World correspondent and that it was approved by him.

#### HOW VOTE STANDS ON LATEST FIGURES SENT FROM CHICAGO

Wood Still in the Lead, but Is 237 Short of the Necessary Number.

CHICAGO, June 7. CCORDING to the latest estimates the vote on the first ballot in the Republican Convention will be as follows:

Leonard Wood, 255. Frank O. Lowden, 215. Hiram Johnson, 175. Nicholas Murray Butler, 197. William C. Sproul, 76. Warren G, Harding, 57. Calvin Coolidge, 29. J. C. Pritchard, 22. Howard Butherland, 126. Jacob L. Hamon, Y.

is Poinderter

### Hall in Chicago Where the Republicans the one embodying the pro-MAKE WINDY CITY "SUM" TOWN **CONVENTION VISITORS FINI**

Even the Humble Egg Becomes HILLES GOES ON Chops Join the 400.

Chicagoans Who Boost Town Contrasted With New Yorkers Who Knock Home City.

By John H. Tennant, CHICAGO, June 7.—This is cor-

tainly Sum Town. All the New York Profiteering family certainly separate or distinguish foreign and have first and second cousins in Chi- changes were made in the Republiinterstate commerce from intrastate cago. You get an early forecast of your rating in the profiteers' Bradstreet when you juggle yourself into the dimer on one of the twenty-hour bert Parson as the representative

> the railroads, and you are "seeing the thing through" in a patriotic ries, 90 cents; coffee, 35; roast beef, about as thick as an artichoke leaf,

exchange the morning following for the Republican State Administration, the flying breakfast. You order in Comptroller Eugene M. Travis, culswage are treated as within that the good old-fashioned way, as you minated last week in a full page to the first page. The first content of the good old-fashioned way, as you minated last week in a full page of the first page. While the vote of the court on the and coffee and you at once realize Comptroller with official incompewhy the Chicago doctors here are tence. Copies of the paper containing writing 360,000 prescriptions a month | the charges were placed in every scat for Voistead stimulants.

work twenty-four hours a day, and resigned there would still be a waiting list. Associate Justice McKenna in another opinion said: "The court deplaces conclusions only without givin greasons for them. I must ut least excuse if I canct justify my dissent." Justice McKenna said the Rhode Island and New Jersey cases should have been decided on their merits. He added that he did not agree with the waiters' strike on hand and ax-workmen from Gary substituting—you write your own prescriptions. You save the \$2 the doctors got and Their patronage, bear in mind, is the follows: action of the court in reversing You save the \$2 the doctors got, and you give it to the bell boy for the medicine. You need a powerful stimu-

> fast, luncheon or supper. Two eggs, nice brown butter, which a Gary walter tried to pronounce day off, cost the modest sum of 65 cents. A lunch of two lamb chops are smuggied in under a nickeled ar-

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### HOLD-UP MEN TIE AND GAG PATRONS IN BROOKLYN SHOP

tellewised a single cent, either directly or indirectly to my campaign, nor has he may connected with it directly or indirectly ar any relation with any one who is connected with it.

Secondit, your statement, "Lasher purchased when Attorney General was Castodian," and all that that statement implied is a deliberate and malicious plasshood. At the time of the male to Mr. Lasher, March 26, 1915, I was not Allen Property Custodian and was not directly or indirectly connected with the office of Asien Property Custodian and occassarily could not have made a sale to Mr. Lasher or any one ciss. I was then Attorney General of the United States and had been since March 5, 1915.

I shall expect The World immediately to correct the lajustice that it has lose as and to give the same prominence in this statement that it did to the attele referred.

(Signed)

A. MTPCHEME, PALAGER. which he latched shut. Another of the redshers busied himself wrapping the shirts and other things in bundles.

The five up-handed men, who had been covered by two revolvers, were now carefully gagged and bound with cravats taken from a convenient show the basement of the shop where all were giled up in a mass in a washroom and the door closed tightly upon

assistant manager, M. E. Green, came in to see about the day's business. LA FOLLETTE OPERATED ON. They found the place empty so far as service was concerned and when His Case More Serious Than Was a customer entered and asked for a silk shirt, the loss of the shirts was added to the loss of the clerk. But instantly there was a great hulaba-

One of the victims had got the gag according to announcement made by surgeons, but it was more serious than antention of those he heard walking overhead. Mr. Bennett went down and found the quintette in the washroom.

AUSTIN, Texas, June 7.—Galveston AMRION, Ohio, June 7.—Two was placed under instital law, effective at noon to-day, is a pro-assention issued by Gov. W. P. Hobby at 19:30 o'clock this margine, because of freight con-

State Delegation Elects Him in Place of Herbert Parsons at Caucus To-Day,

FROM NEW YORK

can National Committee at eaucuse of State delegations, Charles D Hillen, who was President Taft's secretary, was elected to succeed Hertrains and get your first sum of the from New York. Senator Wadsworth was elected chairman of the New York delegation

The entire programme of the New rell with the conseling reflection that York leaders was carried through after all the Government lost some- without a sign of friction, although an thing like \$500,000,000 trying to run overnight change of plans regarding stated yesterday, had been picked for manufacture for those purposes. In the case it is a constitutional manufacture or prohibition that is being entioned to-day and the place was given to William Barnes, former Nations

OLD GUARD FAVORS

LOWDEN BUT LACKS

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"But," said the chairman of the

miniature convention. "we can hear. right in this room, the murmurs of a

round in Hiram's headquarters, just

ross the street. We will have to

Imit that Hiram is there with the

Hiram? Remember always, gentle-

men, that the keynote of this as-

not accomplish their task.

unanimous.

IN LEADERSHIP

of the special train that brought the TEN DOCTORS COULDN'T DO IT delegation to Chicago.

Former Senator John W. Weeks of In one Chicago hotel on the lake Boston to-day was elected National front there are five names on the ho- Committeeman from Massachusetts, tel dector's deer. Ten dectors could to succeed Winthrop Murray Crane,

Committeemen chosen so far are as

Arisona, Allan B. Jaynes. Massachusetts, John M. Weeks. Missouri, J. W. Babler. Mississippi, M. J. Mulvihill. New York, Charles D. Hilles New Jersey, H. F. Kean. Oregon, Ralph E. Williams Porto Rico, Robert H. Todd Texas, H. F. McGregor. Virginia, C. B. Stomp Washington, Guy E. Kelly. Indiana, Joseph B. Kenting.

# FOR \$6,000,000

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ployees are involved. These men, it asserted, switched the cars containing valuable silks and other fabrics to the side of empty freight cars, into to waither automobiles.

The gang then stored the stuff in warehouses and after a short time they were taken to dyeing establishments maintained by the gang and altered beyond identification before being sold to manufacturers through nderworld channels.

tion Bureau of the New York Credit Men's Association, and Detectives James Hayden and Anthony Browns-

worth of the mafe and loft squad.

More than a dozen "overt acta" are
mentioned in the andletment, which specifically charges the accused me Returning to the shop, the four took their foot and fruried to their waiting the thefts alleged are those of "\$12,000

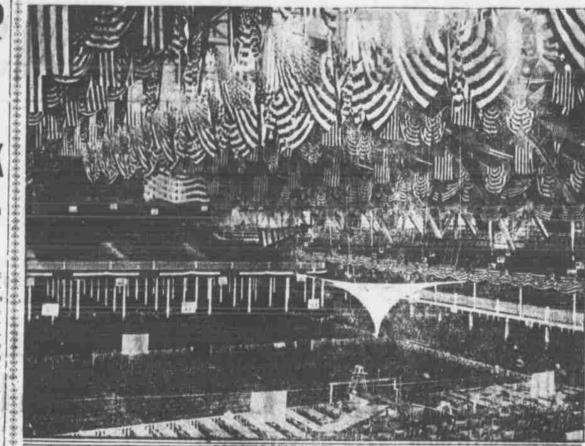
automobile, leaving the shop door open but still embelished with the "back in ton minutes" sign.

The thieves had not been gone more than a few minutes when R. W. Bennett, the owner of the shop, and his ext \$198,000.

Expected, Surgeons Say. ROCHESTER, Minnesots, June 7 .-Senator Robert M. La Follette of Wisoonsin was operated upon at St. Mary's Hospital here to-day for removal of the

Two Dead, 12 Hurt, in Benzol Explosion.

Will Hold Their National Convention



THE COLISEUM IN CHICAGO

N. Y. DELEGATION

**DELAYS ACTION** ON A CANDIDATE

dogs. They couldn't see Hiram; they Takes Butler's Advice to Look wouldn't have Hiram. They leathed the Field Over Before Making Choice.

lot of roughneoks who are milling ballyho stuff and he has nerve. Now, The decision was reached at the rethe question is: how much nerve has quest of Nicholas Murray Butler, who semblage of Republicans is the Re- any complimentary or "favorite son" publican Party must win and minor votes.

differences must be drawn aside, and "I want the New York delegates to if anybody holding such differences have a chance to look over the situawon't draw them aside they must be tion," he said. "T have made it plain pushed aside. We must win." BELIEVE JOHNSON AMENABLE mentary vote. This is no time for

Senators Lodge, Kenyon, Borah and seems not unlikely that the delegates 1916. Johnson and others to run this con- from New York, Pennsylvania, In- UNCERTAINTY DUE TO TUG OF vention and the illustration that has diana and Iowa may figure prominentcome to them even at this early stage ly in making the final decision. It of the proceedings is that they canis for the New York delegates and lenderless. That is a superficial imchairman, "that the Senators are just York again its position of commandas anxious that the Republican Party ing leadership in the national organishall win he we are. Don't think gation. they will be inclined to be as reason-

"The latest developments on the which the booty was thrown. These cars were then transferred to points able as the other side when it comes in the line where the loot was shifted to a showdown."

"The latest developments on the League of Nations plank in the platform are that progress is being made."

son is in position to dictate the nom-ination, even though he cannot get it for himself. The decision that Phil-the reace of the month and the penalte have grown fond of Hiram and they don't think him a bit too radical. ander C. Knox is the man was the peace of the world will accept Johnson and Knox are close friends. however, the contrary should be the The perhaps mortally stricken Pen-case, there will be such a debate and it will be conducted without any The perhaps mortally stricken Pen-

ality is, for sentimental reasons, perhaps as potent here in his absence
as it would have been with his presence, has declared for Knox. Knox
is a junction, it may be said, through
Pennsylvania. He had nothing to which the Senatorial and outside say regarding his candidacy except cliques may come together, always that "things are going along nicely." depending upon the approval of Hi-

SUGESTED.

"Gentlemen," said the Chairman, "remember that our purpose is to pick a candidate who can win. Don't overlook one Herbert Hoover."

Whereupon the delagates got up and barked again. "Hoover! What in hell," inquired one delegate, "would Hoover do for us?"

"Hoover," said the Chairman, "is an organization Republican. Supperson with authority—to go and ask him the question have come around and sound have come around have come around and sound have come around and sound have come around have come aroun

### WOOD NOMINATION WOULD MEAN FALL

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ers of Johnson, Lowden and Wood is session. On Saturday Mrs. Coughlin this "You had better come our way - and I went to the Hotel Pennsylvania for if you don't look out you will get in New York to the Hotel Pennsylvania husband be required to pay the taxe

Mossachusetts leaders told the writer steamship Cigrmont by a Deputy that he didn't believe the delegates in Sheriff at Bear Point." this convention would stay out very ong; that they would soon get fired dark horse, and that, while he him self was violently opposed to Herber Hoover, the delegates knew the former Food Administrator would be an easy winner in November and would in the ultimate strength of Hoover is widespread. Few of the leaders sider him a probability, though his candidacy which would make vic-tory absolutely assured if he were the

piratical attitude he held at that to be made a pawn in any campaign as a clean candidate with a prestige time; in other words, that Hiram is for the nomination for Governor or unimpaired by four years of political amenable to reason. Naturally there any local political fasue.

arose a discussion of the attempt of "As the situation has developed it better campaigner than he was in

WAR BETWEEN FACTIONS.

It is easy to say that this convenot accomplish their task.

"Remember, gentlemen," said the their great opportunity to give to New business, knows what it wants, but the uncertainty is due to the tug-of-war between factions which represent the same thing. Prejudices galore are re-cited against each candidate.

If the Democrats were here, they could fill their campaign textion.
Big Republican leaders whisper that Leonard Wood is "impossible because and then arose the question of who would be acceptable to the Senators and the old guard in case things come to such a pass that Hiram Johnson is in position to distance of the senators and the old guard in case things come to such a pass that Hiram Johnson is in position to distance of the senators and the old guard in case things been standing for the traditional Republican is absolutely unacceptable to American business. Now the leaders there exists the country will not stand for a military and the old guard in case things been standing for the traditional Republican is absolutely unacceptable to American business. Now the leaders there exists the country will not stand for a military and the old guard in case things been standing for the traditional Republican is absolutely unacceptable to the senators and the old guard in case things been standing for the traditional Republican features. the peace of the world will accept such a plank we shall have no dif-ference of opinion and no debate. If, however, the contrary should be the they could not deliver the delegates to him. To that extent this convention is controlled by the conservative influences in the Republican party Senator Johnson, Senator Florah and their associates can torpedo any of the leading candidates, but they can't win the nomination for the California Senator unless they persuade the delegates over night. So the tactics of Johnson are oratorical.

WHAT WILL JOHNSON DO IF HE

depending upon the approval of Hiram Johnson, and there is no other junction in sight.

Senator Knox is aixty-nine years old. It is not unreasonable to suppose that in the event of his election be would not be seriously considered for another term. But Hiram Johnson, who is still young as ages go in politics, will be right there four years from now.

"But," said a delegate, "supposing Hiram isn't the fire eating burgiar we think he is; supposing he can't deliver when the showdown comes? Then what?"

NAME OF HOOVER NEXT TO BE SUGESTED.

WHAT WILL JOHNSON DO IF HE CAN'T WIN?

To-night's mass meeting and possibly some dramatic speeches in the convention will constitute the final efforts to win by direct appeal to the delegates. But if Johnson becomes direct Presidential patronage isn't auch a sreat thing in practical politics."

While the delegates sincarely hoped that the occasion would not arise, they came to the understanding that the occasion would not arise, they came to the understanding that the occasion would not arise, they came to the understanding that the occasion would not arise, they came to the understanding that the occasion would not arise, they came to the understanding that the occasion would not arise, they came to the understanding that the psychological moment to watch for. He is absolutely determined to start regard this time Leville in the psychological moment to watch for. He will be absolutely determined to start regard the psychological moment to watch for. He will be absolutely determined to that the occasion would not arise, they came to the understanding that the occasion would not arise, they came to the unknown factors.

As for the Vice-Presidential candidates who should run with Hoover, there was not even a start in the direction of presenting and possibly some dramatic speeches in the convention will constitute the final efforts to win by direct appeal to the that the delegates but if Johnson the can't the many regard to the despates.

To night's mass meeting and possibly some dra

the ticket anywhere class. And the Republicans admit Hiram is a wonder republicans admit Hiram is a wonder vote-getter. To placete Johnson, the new "Old Guard" may have to give up Lowden, but in so doing they would want Wood eliminated too.

In a free for all, Johnson could dicthe the choice. Intimate friends say he leans toward Gov. Sprout of Pennsylvania. Others say he favors separtor Lenroot of Wisconsin. Of one thing, the public may rest assured.

positive but it is premature to say

### CHILDLESS WOMAN IS SOUGHT ON NEW KIDNAPPING CLUE

Demands for Ransom Reach Norristown Family From Widely Scattered Places.

By Elias A. McQuaid. (Special Staff Correspondent of the Evening World.)

NORRISTOWN, Pa., June 7 .- The

search for 13-months-old Blakely Wat; Coughlin; stolen from his crib in a chamber opening into that of his parents in the Coughlin Villa on Sandy Hill Road at one o'clock last Tuesday morning, was turned in a new direction to-day when Burns detectives began a thorough search o Norristown and vicinity for some middle aged woman known to have been unhappy because of the unfulfilment of her dreams of motherhood Every susploion that the kidnapping Friede Must Keep Up New Roch might have developed out of a family misunderstanding of some kind was swept aside when George H. Coughlin, the baby's father, invited newspapermen to a Sunday afternoon conference in the down-town effice of his attorney and said:

all I know and to answer your every bet of the New York Stock Excha question. If we have appeared to be secretive up to the present it is besecretive up to the prosent to carry world" his wife "spiurged." spend ut not merely the orders but the as high as \$1,000 a menth upon hera wishes of the police. But we realize while the husband had to dress ches now that secrecy is never going to and drive a second-hand cer, bring our boy back to us. To-day It was brought out that Mr. and M we are advised that the Police of Friede still live in the same house Dallas, Tex., are holding a negro No. 146 Clove Road, New Roche woman who was picked up there be- where they occupy separate apartmen cause she failed to account satisfac- In addition to granting ailmony, Ju expression among the respective boost- torily for the white child in her pos- lice Seeger directed that Mrs. Frie in New York to see the baby of a One of the most influential of the woman taken from the Hudson River RAIDERS CAN SEIZE

LETTERS DEMANDING RANSOM ARE POURING IN.

"In like manner we are running down, so far as we can, each of fifteen ransom letters. One of these letters is from a point as remote as Savannah, Ga., only one was mailed in Norristown. I'll tell the newspaper about everything except these ransom letters. You will understand and appreciate my stlence on that all admit a public sentiment is behind point. I am sure all I want is to get who is holding Blakely for money paying compliments. I do not wish Much more plausible is the talk of will send me the boy's photograph Then it came out that most of the votes of those who have faith in the votes of the votes of those who have faith in the votes of the vote

Coughlin, a slender, alert man of

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Cleared of Old Murder Charge. Frank Fusano, arrested on Friday Rockville Centre Votes Sunday to the allegation that he kfiled, his wife, Terdina, was arraigned in the Bridge Plaza Court, Brooklyn, to-day and was discharged by Magistrate Dodd for lack of evidence. Mrs. Fun-

#### **ENGLAND PREPARES** TO PUT DOWN ALL IRISH DISORDER

Toyd George Announces Increase In Military Force-Laws to Be Strengthened.

LONDON, June 7. WHE Government intends to take steps to bring to fustice all persons associated with crime in Ireland, Premier Lloyd George declared in the House of Commons today in answering a question.

The Premier added that with this object in view the Government was reorganizing the Irish executive and was strengthening the police naval and 'military forces in Ireland. It would probably also be necessary, he said, to strengthen the law for dealing with crime.

It was the intention of the Government, Mr. Lloyd George asserted, to put down the present organized campaign of murde and assassination."

#### ALIMONY FOR WIFE IN HUSBAND'S HON

House Where Both Live an Pay \$4,000 a Year.

Justice Athert H. F. Seeger, in ist Term of the Supreme Cour White Plains lo-day, granted 14.0 year allmony and \$1.000 counsel fee Mrs. Beatrice S. Frieds of New chelle, pending trial of her suit "Gentlemen, I am here to tell you separation against Lee Friede, a m At the hearing before Justice Se counsel for Mr. Friede contended as the broker began to "come up in

have the use of the house and that ti

### ALL BAR FIXTURES

Heavy Assessments Also Provided by Dry Law Even If No Arrests Are Made.

The Federal Prohibition Enforcement Agents who are raiding right and lett throughout the city have a new weapon for use against the lawtess. By the insuance of a warenest of distraint or seisure by a revenue collector, enforcement agents can selze the cash register. my boy back. If the man or woman back ber, brass rail, mirror, or any o all fixtures incidental to the old-faloned suloan.

would not wait around long after the saloonkeeper in the form of special taxes. On evidence of the sale of liquora oven though the proprietor be not arrested, or even though arrested and not convicted this salconkeeper upon notice by the enforcement spent to the revenue collector, will be doubly taxed the amount of a retailer's fax permitting plus an additional gensity of \$800.

Baseball. The trustees of Rockville Centre willmeet to-night and adopt an ordinance legalizing the playing of beneball on Dodd for lack of evidence. Mrs. Funsano was killed on July 20, 1912, at
No. 183 North Seventh Street, Brook,
lvn. Funsano was arrested at No.
Hath Avenue, where he was hylun.
Hath Avenue, where he was hysunday.

Sundays from 2 to 5 clock in the
afternoon. The proposition was worked
in May 18 and passed by a vote of 2 to
the American Legion will play the 7th
Regiment team from Manhattan next

## PENNY A POUND PROFIT

HEN THE MERCURY starts cutting up in the the boiling the life right out of the sun area. mometer, and the scorching rays of the sua seem to be boiling the life right out of you, then is the ideal time to look up a LOFT SANITARY SODA FOUNTAIN, where all sorts of ice cold delicacies in any nur pleasing combinations, promise refreshing enjoyment. Ice Cream Sodas, Ice Cream Sundaes, Fizzes, Floats, Freezes, Egg drinks, Malted Milk beverages and many other concections, prepared and served in the most sanitary manner. Our Red Pesters announce the Daily Palate Thrillers.

### **Our Two Big Daily Specials**

Our Big Daily Special for Monday, June 7th ASSORTED HARD GOODIESin many confectioneries as Asserted Constant goods. A collection of long lasting sweets which presents most of our favorities. Assertment is comprized of Satinettes, Buttercaps, Blossoms, American Filled Confec-Fruit Rock, and 11 Proceedings of the country of the country pleasing hard entity not elite. SPECIAL POUND BOX

Our Big Daily Special for Tuesday, June 8th SPECIAL MIXED CANDY—In days gene by, we used to go into the confectionery slave and pick out this kind of goody and that from the above cases, but to-day you walk tale to LOPT slove and may Shoodal Mixed Candy, and you get Boo Bank Wrapped Carattels, Nougatines, Oscomut Cites, July Oxfor Processing from a nay pleasing flavors and many others. Our press, 400 goods of the SPECIAL POUND BOX POUND BOX

Other 'Monday Attractions CHOCOLATE COVER-

CHOCOLATE COVER-ED CREAM DROPS— We all know those big dusky mounds of de-light having coverings of our Unexcelled fra-grant, velvesy Choro-late, and centres of the riching, Vanilla Davared Sagar Cream, & sondy that will delight curis levers of

MILK CHOCOLATH COVERED CREAM PEPPERMINTS - Big respectively. Since the second second